

## Question5

**Solution :**

(a)

$$g(n) = \log_2^{(n^{\log_2^n})^2} = 2 \log_2^{n^{\log_2^n}} = 2 * \log_2^n * \log_2^n = 2(\log_2^n)^2$$

$$\therefore \text{for } c = 1 \text{ and } n_0 = 1, 0 \leq f(n) \leq cg(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0$$

$$\text{for } c = 9 \text{ and } n_0 = 1, 0 \leq g(n) \leq cf(n) \text{ for all } n \geq n_0$$

$$\therefore f(n) = O(g(n)) \text{ and } g(n) = O(f(n))$$

$$\therefore f(n) = \Theta(g(n))$$

(b)

$$\text{If } \log f(n) \leq \log C + \log g(n) \text{ then } f(n) \leq C g(n).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{\log C + \log g(n)}{\log f(n)} \right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\log C + \log g(n))'}{(\log f(n))'} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n^{\frac{1}{10}})'}{(10 * \log_2^n)'} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{10} * n^{-\frac{9}{10}}}{\frac{1}{n * \ln 2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln 2 * \frac{1}{10} * n^{\frac{1}{10}} \\ &= \infty \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So for sufficiently large } n, \log f(n)$$

$$\leq \log C + \log g(n) \text{ and we can get } f(n) \leq C g(n).$$

$$\text{Hence, } f(n) = O(g(n)).$$

(c)

$$\therefore \text{when } n = 2k \text{ that } f(n) = n^2 \text{ and } g(n) = n, \text{ we can get that}$$

$$f(n) > cg(n) \text{ for } c \text{ is a constant number.}$$

$$\text{when } n = 2k + 1 \text{ that } f(n) = n^0 = 1 \text{ and } g(n) = n, \text{ we can get that}$$

$$f(n) < cg(n) \text{ for } c \text{ is a constant number.}$$

$$\therefore \text{Either } f(n) = O(g(n)) \text{ or } g(n) = O(f(n))$$